Complaints lodged by the Indian National Congress with the Election Commission for alleged rigging in the recent Lok Sabha elections

327. DR. RATNAKAR PANDEY:

SHRI CHANDRIKA PRASAD TRIPATHI:

Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state the number of complaints lodged by the Indian National Congress with the Election Commission for alleged rigging in the recent Lok Sabha elections and the action taken by Government in each case?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI DINESH GOSWAMI): Election Commission has informed that the data on complaints are not maintained or arranged party-wise. However, it would appear from a scrutiny of the records that about 227 complaints had been made either by the Indian National Congress or by candidates/others belonging to that party. It is not *prima facie* for the Government to take action on such complaints. The Election Commission had looked into these complaints and had taken several appropriate remedial measures like on-the-spot enquiry, re-poll, immediate action by Chief Electoral Officers/District Election Officers, referring the matter to the Observers of the Commission etc.

Morarka Committee recommendations for restructuring of Life Insurance Corporation

328. SHRI ASHOK NATH VERMA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have implemented the recommendations of the Morarka Committee appointed in 1968-69 for restructuring of the Life Insurance Corporation;

(b) if so, which of these recommendations have been implemented so far; and

(c) what are the details of the recommendations which have not been implemented and what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (PROF. MADHU DANDAVATE): (a) No recommendation was made by Morarka Committee on restructuring of Life Insurance Corporation of India.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Review of Textile Policy

329. SHRI YASHWANT SINHA:

SHRI BIR BHADRA PRATAP SINGH:

DR. NARREDDY THULASI REDDY:

SHRI HARVENDRA SINGH HANSPAL:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to review the present textile policy with a view to recasting the same; and

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI SHARAD YADAV): (a) and (b) The Government have set up a Committee under the Chairmanship of Shri Abid Hussain to review the progress of implementation of the June, 1985 Textile Policy and to assess its impact on different sectors of the textile economy. A review of the Textile Policy would be undertaken after receipt of the report of the Committee, whose term is upto 31st December 1989.

Negotiations for setting Charter of Demands of L.I.C. Employees

330. SHRI ASHOK NATH VERMA Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Life Insurance Corporation has recently changed its policy to hold negotiations with their employees in settling their charter of demands;